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TITLE: **"METHOD OF MARKING A SKIN FOR A
VEHICLE INTERIOR TRIM PANEL"**
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AMENDMENT J AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed October 17, 2006. A Request for Continued Examination accompanies this amendment along with a Petition for a Three-Month extension of time to respond to the outstanding rejection. The required RCE fee and extension fees are being filed herewith via EFS. Reexamination and reconsideration is requested.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Appln. Serial No. 10/033,437
Amdnt. dated Apr. 17, 2007
Reply to Office Action of Oct. 17, 2006

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

Re-examination and reconsideration is requested.